

IN THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

____ day _____, 2015

PRESENT: Supervisors

ABSENT:

RESOLUTION NO. _____

RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING JUNE 5, 2015 AS
“HUNGER AWARENESS DAY” IN SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY

The following resolution is hereby offered and read:

WHEREAS, the Food Bank Coalition of San Luis Obispo County is a countywide organization dedicated to alleviating hunger and building a healthier community; and

WHEREAS, the Food Bank administers 10 programs including over 50 countywide mobile food distribution sites to make nutritious food available to those in need, including underserved areas like San Simeon, Creston, California Valley, Carissa Plains, San Miguel, and Nipomo; and

WHEREAS, the Food Bank works with a network of 200 community and agency partners to distribute fresh produce, rescued, and sourced food; and

WHEREAS, the Food Bank assists county residents with the application process for CalFresh, a supplemental nutrition assistance program, formerly known as Food Stamps; and

WHEREAS, in 2014 the Food Bank distributed 6.1 million pounds of nutritious food, nearly half of which was fresh produce, to 44,000 San Luis Obispo County residents struggling with hunger; and

WHEREAS, the Food Bank is coordinating a countywide event called Hunger Awareness Day on June 5th to create awareness about hunger in our community and raise money to alleviate hunger through their website, by mail, and at 30 drop-off sites around the County; and

WHEREAS, with every dollar donated, the Food Bank can provide \$10 worth of nutritious food to our neighbors in need;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED, that the Board of Supervisors, of the County of San Luis Obispo, State of California, does hereby proclaim June 5, 2015 as “Hunger Awareness Day” in San Luis Obispo County.

Upon motion of Supervisor _____, seconded by Supervisor _____, and on the following roll call vote, to-wit:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTAINING:

The foregoing resolution is hereby adopted:

Chairperson of the Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

BY: _____ Deputy Clerk